

Regional Operations Center
Western Region

Wednesday, February 1



	Wed, Feb 01	Thu, Feb 02	Fri, Feb 03	Sat, Feb 04	Sun, Feb 05	Mon, Feb 06	Tue, Feb 07
Fire Weather Low RH / Wind / Dry T-Storms							
Thunderstorms Wind / Hail / Tornadoes							
Cold	All Regions	All Regions					
River Flooding							
Wind	Southern	Inland/Coastal (Far North)			Southern	Southern	
Heavy Rain Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Snow		Inland (Mountains)	Inland (Mountains)	Inland (Mountains)	Inland (Mountains)		
Coastal Flooding							

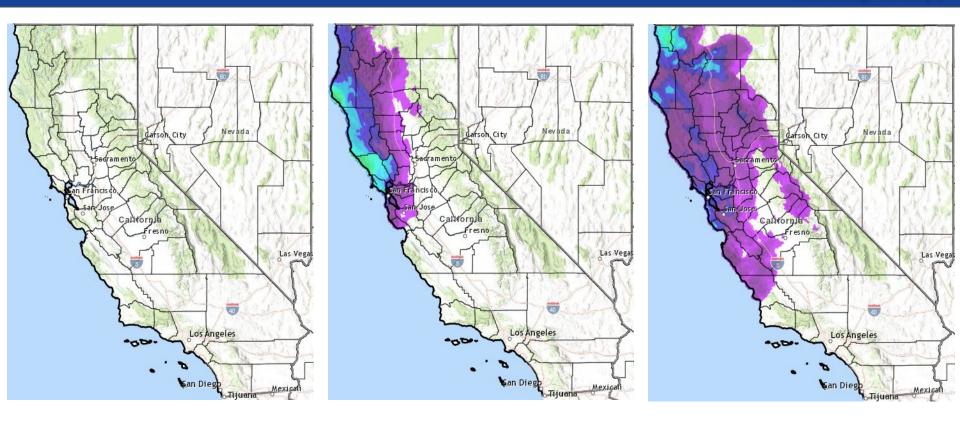
Risk Levels	Little to None	Minor	Moderate	Major	Extreme
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- Gusty winds of 45-55 mph are expected across southern California through Wednesday morning.
- Cold overnight temperatures will persist across many lower elevation areas through midweek,
 with a gradual warming trend expected for late week and the weekend
 - Temperatures will remain dangerous for vulnerable populations and plumbing
- The next round of mainly light rain and mountain snow will arrive for the northern half of the state Thursday afternoon through Friday
 - Snow levels will range from 3,500 to 5,000 feet, with mainly light amounts of 4 to 6 inches or less expected
 - Lower elevation rain amounts look to average one-third of an inch or less, with locally higher amounts across coastal northwest California
 - Gusty south to southeast winds of 40 to 50 mph are expected across coastal northern
 California, the Sierra, and the higher elevations of far northern California with this storm
- A wetter storm system is expected across northern California for the weekend, with higher snow levels and a greater potential for winter travel impacts









Thursday Friday Wednesday

Important Note: Forecast precipitation amounts are an average for any particular location. Thunderstorms will produce locally much higher rainfall amounts.



6-10 Day Outlook (February 6 - February 10)

Temperatures

Below normal temperatures are favored statewide

Precipitation

Below normal precipitation is favored across much of central and southern California,
 with near normal precipitation favored over northern portions of the state

8-14 Day Outlook (February 8 - February 14)

Temperatures

Below normal temperatures are again favored statewide

Precipitation

Above normal precipitation is slightly favored statewide



Impact Level Definition

- 1. Impactful weather is not expected.
- 2. Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.
 - a. Localized impacts on commerce possible.
 - b. Includes events that occur frequently.
- 3. Potential threat to lives and property if no/incorrect actions are taken.
 - a. Impacts on commerce possible.
 - Includes events that occur a few times per year.
- 4. Actions likely needed to save lives and/or property.
 - Significant impacts to commerce possible.
 - b. Includes events that occur infrequently.
- 5. Actions required to save lives and/or property.
 - Significant and extended impacts to commerce.
 - b. Includes exceptionally rare events.

